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## THE VOTE ON TARIFF IS NEAR

Law Governing Imports  
May be Passed Late  
Today.

### MAY NAME HEPBURN

Washington, Aug. 4.—Concurrent resolutions which will correct the leather schedule were introduced in the senate today.

This evening the final anathemas were hurled at the bill by Republicans who are in opposition.

Tomorrow ten minute speeches will be leveled at the measure until 2 p. m. Then comes the final vote.

There is not the slightest doubt on the part of anyone now but that it will be a law by nightfall.

The day's events included the practical slaughter of the customs court in the house. Aldrich said this evening that President Taft would appoint judges and fix a tentative salary, depending on congress to appropriate the money.

President Taft will receive a petition tomorrow signed by Democrats and Republicans alike requesting that former Congressman Hepburn of Iowa be named as one of the judges.

Cummings this evening praised Taft for all the downward revision that the tariff bill achieves, but said the president started too late to secure the downward revision promised by the Republican party.

## BURNS FATAL

Albert Fetters Dies as Result of  
Boiler Explosion.

As a result of injuries received from the explosion of a threshing machine at Bancroft Tuesday afternoon, John, twelve-year-old son of Albert Fetters, died at his late home Tuesday night.

The steam from the boiler of the engine literally scalded off the skin from every inch of surface on the body of the boy.

Frank Fetters and Ira Peters, who were injured in the same accident, will recover.

## CUTLERY CO. EMPLOYEES HAVE ANNUAL PICNIC

Employees of the Novelty Cutlery company held their annual picnic Wednesday in the woods northwest of the McKinley national memorial.

The day was spent in playing games and in watching races and baseball.

The grinders carried off the honors of the day in baseball, cribbage and singing. They defeated the finishers by a score of 9 to 5 in a game replete with sensational playing and batting, defeated the cutlers at cribbage and received great applause through their quartet.

The tables spread in the grove were loaded with entrees and many were still eating an hour after the feast began. The "chiefs," Harry Palmer and Joseph Parker, received a vote of thanks for their work. Their greatest offering was the roast pig.

## COMMITTEES ARE NAMED

George H. Clark, president of the Stark county centennial, has announced the historical committee, composed of James H. Robertson, ex-mayor and chairman, William Saxton, and Frank W. Jay. The decoration committee met Wednesday morning and completed arrangements for decorating the streets and formulated plans for beautifying Canton.

## ORGANIZE BOARD FRIDAY

The new board of control will not be organized until Friday or shortly after that time.

Mayor Turnbull will be president. The clerical work may fall to Henry Paulus and Charles Zellers, clerks of the old board.

Attend the benefit festival tonight on lawn at St. Mary's church, South Market street.

\$1.50—Cedar Point and Return—\$1.50 Sunday, August 8th, via W. & L. E. and Steamer Eastland. Leave Canton 6:15 a. m. Arrive home 10:15 p. m.

Don't forget the festival tonight on lawn at St. Mary's church, South Market St.

### Eagles, Notice.

There will be no meeting of Canton Aerie No. 141 F. O. E. Thursday, Aug. 5th. The secretary will be in the club room to receipt for dues. Those Dunwoody, W. P.; T. A. Schauer, Sec.

Festival tonight on lawn at St. Mary's church, South Market St.

### CHIEFS NAME NEW OFFICERS.

Before adjourning Wednesday the Ohio Police association delegates named these new officers: President, Chief Jacob Weil, of Mansfield; first vice president, Chief E. M. Ertle, of Massillon; second vice president, Chief H. W. Smith, of Canton. The board of governors, Chief Faulkner, of Bellefontaine; Chief Larkin, of Steubenville; Chief Allabach, of Dayton. The next session will be held in Chillicothe.

## A WOMAN WHIPS MARRIED MAN

SOUTHERN BELLE TELLS  
HIS WIFE HE INSULTED HER.

Ashville, N. C., Aug. 4.—Because she says he insulted her, Mrs. C. Clyde Knight, a prominent society woman of Rome, Ga., publicly horsewhipped J. E. Lathorn of Spartanburg, S. C., this evening.

Lathorn suffered terribly from the stinging blows dealt by the infuriated woman. Mrs. Knight deliberately chose to inflict the flogging on the officer in the presence of his wife that it might make her revenge more sweet.

She met him in the presence of Mrs. Lathorn who witnessed the scene. Lathorn was compelled to apologize to Mrs. Knight in the presence of his own wife who was greatly shocked by the unexpected occurrence.

Lathorn carried off many bruises as souvenirs of the day and his face was especially badly cut by the sharp lash of the whip.

## GALL COW RUMINATES AS FAMILIES FIGHT

SHE LIKED CABBAGE AND LETTUCE, WHICH GOT HER OWN-  
ER INTO SERIOUS  
TROUBLE.

Out on Lake street the Gall family cow chews her cud meditatively.

Just because the cow has a predilection for cabbage and lettuce Mrs. Mary Kovacs awaits trial before the probate court on a charge of slander. She was bound over Tuesday by justice of the Peace L. M. Barrick. Mrs. Lina Gall was the complaining witness.

According to Mrs. Gall's testimony, Mrs. Kovacs aspersed her character after the Gall cow had been found surreptitiously abstracting cabbage and lettuce from the Kovacs garden.

It was 9 o'clock on the evening of July 27 when Mrs. Kovacs discovered

the Gall cow in her garden. She tied the cow up and awaited the coming of the Galls. The next morning Mrs. Gall appeared and was told that \$5 was the damage done by the cow during her nocturnal depredations.

Discussion of the cow and the garden led to a discussion of the personal characteristics of Mrs. Gall and Mrs. Kovacs. The next day Mrs. Gall swore out a warrant for Mrs. Kovacs, charging slander.

The case was tried Tuesday and all Lake street was present. For two hours the skeletons in the closets of the elite were rattled by Mrs. Kovacs and Mrs. Gall. Mr. Kovacs assisted in the rattling process.

After a series of astonishing revelations regarding high life Mrs. Kovacs was adjudged culpable and bound over under bond of \$50 by Justice Barrick.

## KNOCKED FROM TRAIN

A Pennsylvania brakeman named Cuppy was hurled from a freight train in the yards in this city at an early hour Thursday morning. He was taken to Ingleside hospital in the Miller-Blanchard ambulance. Dr. S. B. Post, the company's surgeon, was called. One of Cuppy's legs were broken. He received internal injuries. He may live.

### Quarrels Make Him Crazy.

Daniel Lutzinger of Bethlehem township, was committed to the insane asylum in Massillon Wednesday after he was pronounced insane by the local probate court. He was a farmer and gardener, sixty-three years old. Quarrels with his wife and neighbors are said to have made him insane.

Sheriff Frank Wilson attended the horse racing at Akron Wednesday.

## ROUMANIAN IS PICKED UP IN DYING CONDITION

Niek Stoicka, a Roumanian, was picked up at the Wheeling & Lake Erie passenger depot by Detectives Ryan and Brishin Wednesday afternoon and sent to the police station. The man appeared to be in a dying condition.

Dr. S. B. Post, the city physician, was summoned and cared for him. When he revived he said he was on his way to the county hospital and fell.

### Report of Police Work.

A statement of the arrests made for the second quarter of the present year has just been made by Chief of Police H. W. Smith. It shows there were 247 arrests of which 171 were city cases and 76 state cases.

### BOIL YOUR WATER.

Dr. DaHinden, city health officer, wishes to warn people to boil their water for the next month. A number of typhoid fever has caused the city health officials to issue the warning.

## INSANE MAN IN THAW COURT

STOPS PROCEEDINGS BY  
YELLS AND IS PROMPTLY  
ARRESTED.

White Plains, Aug. 4.—Peter Caporale, a New York insane Italian, tried to force his way into the court room this afternoon. He yelled at the top of his voice and created an uproar. The proceedings stopped until the man was arrested. He shouted he had a letter for Jerome so as to get his daughter's release from the juvenile asylum.

He fought desperately with his captors, shouting for Jerome to right a wrong. Through all the excitement Thaw remained calm.

Justice Mills announced this afternoon that he would hand down a decision in the Thaw case August 10, unless something unusual happens.

Henry Gleason, former counsel of Thaw, testified to many things in his favor this afternoon.

In spite of a severe cross-examination Dr. Charles MacDonald, expert, held firmly that Thaw was degenerate paranoiac. He said his behavior on the witness stand was that of a lunatic. He never knew a case like Thaw's to recover.

All the live ones read the News.

## PILL MEN VISIT BERLIN

Medics Have a Lot of  
Fun at Their Annual  
Outing.

## SOME GOOD TAKE-OFFS

The Stark County Medical society plunked at New Berlin Wednesday, because some of the medics were too modest to bare their thighs in foot races at a more frequented resort. Here's what the official report has to say about it. If you're not onto the terms get a dictionary:

A "diagnosis" by exclusion showed beyond a doubt that New Berlin was afflicted with the following medics: Banker H. H. Bowman, Conklin, DeWitt, Henry Paulk, Flickinger, Ed. Paulk, J. Fraunfelder, C. E. Fraunfelder, Hart, Kahler, E. J. March, Marchand, Meyers, Pomeroy, Pontius, Schuffel, J. E. Shorb, T. H. Shorb, Siefert, Stoner, Waltenburg, Weaver, George Zinninger, Carl of Middlebranch, Dougherty and Steel of New Berlin, Rickacker, Wilmut, Davis of Minerva, and Wolf of Lake.

A careful examination and "dissection" of the "culinary" products of the ladies of the New Berlin Christian church proved that their products as "exhibited" were of even higher "standards" than prescribed by the "pure food" law and they (the ladies) to those "bachelors" "singular" and otherwise as proficient.

One "extra fine" young lady walter endeavored to break a "wish bone" with a South Cleveland avenue medle whose "extraneous caput" is devoid of foliage, but "toxy" Dave slid off as usual.

E. J. explained what he came up on the car because he was afraid some New Berlinite would be "shocked" by his new electric.

Hart was rotund and happy—his "spark plug" had received a magic touch. Likewise Kahler "touched" us all (magically) and said it was sport. At the "bug-of-war" those medics demonstrated the strength of their "obstetrical" pull by breaking an inch and a quarter rope (1600 pounds guaranteed breaking strain) which let most of the medics down easily? and by careful measurements of the imprints in the ground Captain "Jim" Fraunfelder and Marchand were tied for having the greatest distance between their "ischial tuberosities."

## SHOT HIS WIFE

NEW JERSEY MAN IS EN-  
RAGED WHEN BOARD-  
ERS TALK TO HER

## MAKES HIS ESCAPE

Red Bank, N. J., Aug. 4.—When he found his wife talking to a party of boarders Tuesday night, Isaac Brunelli, a railroad flagman, shot her dead and escaped.

Brunelli found his wife in their home engaged in an animated conversation with a number of boarders who lived in the house. Without a word Brunelli drew his revolver and fired. One shot killed her.

With a look at the dead body, Brunelli turned and left the house, while the boarders left the house by the nearest exits.

He has not been captured.

The cleverest and most exciting finish ever seen in the dog and pony act is seen at the Park theatre all this week.

Don't forget the festival tonight on lawn at St. Mary's church, South Market St.

The best animal act with the most exciting finish ever seen in Canton is showing every day at the Park theatre, Meyers lake, this week.

Sunday Excursion Rates, W. & L. E.  
50 cents Kent and return.  
50 cents Zoar and return.  
\$1.25 Wheeling and return.  
\$1.50 Coshocton and return.

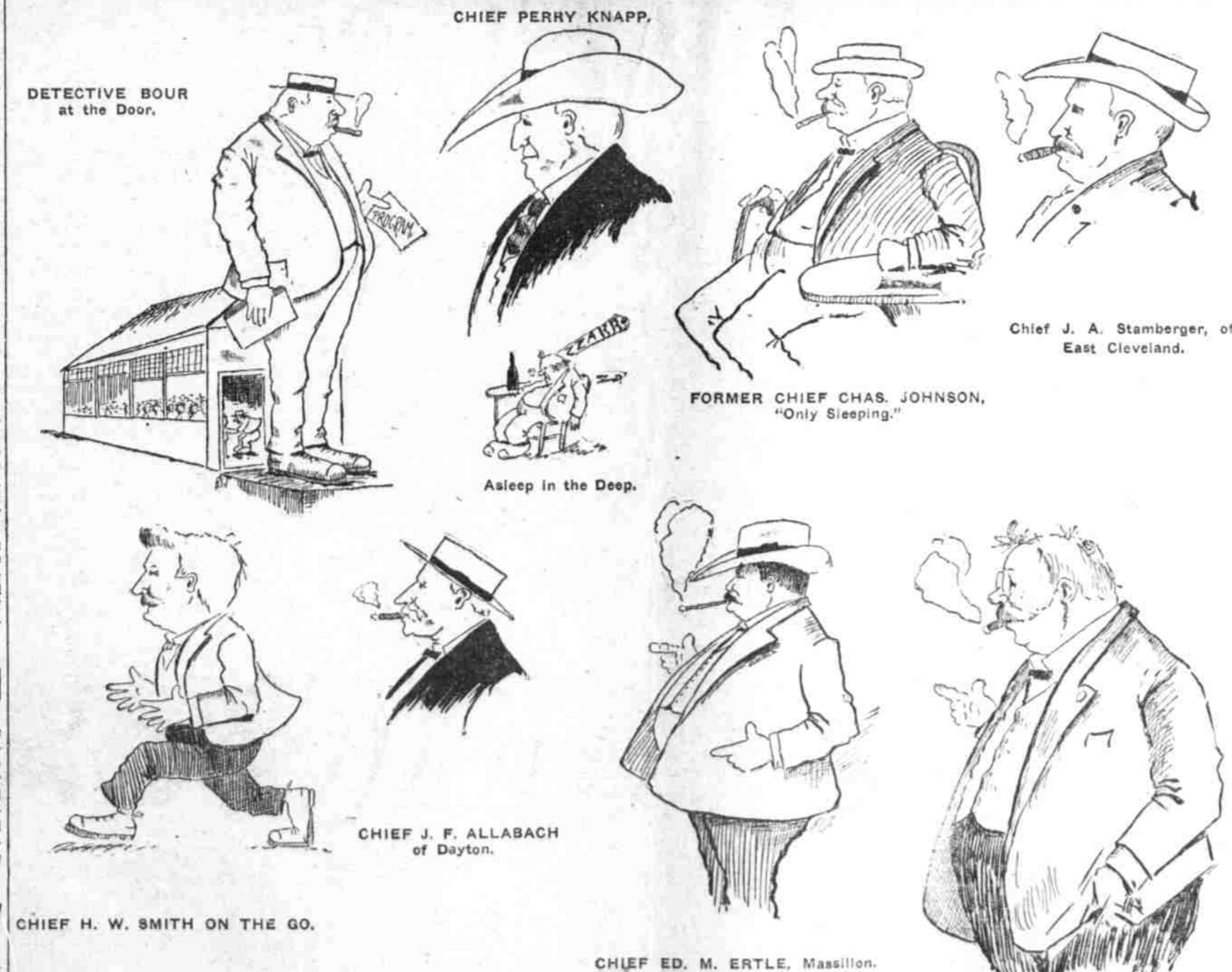
Benefit festival tonight on lawn at St. Mary's church, South Market St.

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## Police Chiefs Are a Jolly Lot, and a Jolly Lot Are They.

They Make Things Hum Like Unto a Drum, and They Turn Night Into Day—They Say the Towns Their  
Peace Can Keep, for They're Out for Fun and Never Sleep.



### BY LIA WANNA SMITH.

Eve met the enemy.

Maybe you're afraid of a policeman.

Most youngsters are—and some bigger ones are hiding these days.

But after all there are a lot of worse things than detectives, chiefs of police and constables—mad dogs for instance. They're certainly behaved pretty well during their convention for men who were away from home, but, perhaps, it was because their wives came along, for there are some (?) women at the convention.

Nobody need be afraid of a chief of police unless he's got good reasons to pass one by without speaking. Some fellows have quit their jobs until the sitting chiefs go back home, because they don't want to take any chances. They're from out of town.

There's a lot of celebrities in town

these days, but chief among them is Chief of Police Stamberger of East Cleveland, near Cleveland, and just on the side of the map. But perchance the thought about the size of the town matters little. It's famous because John D. lives near there.

And Stamberger (don't tell anybody else) has a written pass from the oil king to ride through his park, providing he doesn't eat the grass or tie the goats. But he can't go through on Sundays—not if John D. is looking. It's against the rules laid down by the sage of Pocomoke hills.

A while ago Stamberger wanted to buy a hurry up wagon to help him catch the crooks. Some of those in East Cleveland are pretty fast. And what do you think? The town wouldn't or couldn't raise the price, even with John D. in it—and so Stamberger had to buy his own auto-mo-

bile. Now the crooks are fighting shy of East Cleveland, for Stamberger has him on the run with his new choo-choo wagon.

He is very strong on this kind of navigation and insists that every chief of police should have one. Funny how lazy some people do get at the expense of the citizens.

Naturally, you would think that a convention, the delegates of which are police chiefs, would be a model affair, but there were some very, very hot arguments.

Some of the stories told to illustrate different topics discussed were really quite shocking, and especially so to one not accustomed to association with the high men of the law.

Immediately after the morning session Wednesday, these dignitaries strolled to the city hall where they had their pictures taken. You have no

doubt seen a group of school boys pose for a picture—well, the scene was similar. It was understood that all the "good looking" should occupy the front row—and such a scramble as those men made for the place of prominence. Those police chiefs surely would fill the place of judges at a beauty show.

The row was quickly filled and the illustrious J. F. Allabach of Dayton, (because of his surplus avoirdupois) was doomed to the back row. But he was not so easily fooled and seated himself before the entire group on the ground and positively refused to move from this seat of honor.

Nevertheless they were truly a jolly bunch, regardless of their faults, and there is no question but what should they wish to return to Canton they would be allowed to come back without getting arrested.